

Community Action Team, Inc.
125 N. 17th Street
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*Community Action Team
2009
Annual Report*

*Building
Bridges
To
Self-Sufficiency*



COMMUNITY ACTION TEAM'S MISSION

Reduce the extent and negative effects of poverty in Clatsop, Columbia & Tillamook Counties through addressing basic needs, building self-reliance, improving access to affordable housing and community facilities.

COMMUNITY IMPACTS

◇ *Housing Needs Met*

- *Provided Energy Bill Payment Assistance to 3,745 households*
- *Provided Emergency Housing Assistance to 157 households*
- *Provided affordable housing to 142 households (annual below market rent savings of \$368,664)*
- *Restored housing for 147 flood victim households*
- *Weatherized 101 homes*
- *Rehabilitated 24 homes*
- *Helped prevent 40 mortgage foreclosures*

◇ *Stronger Families*

- *Provided Head Start services to 426 children and their families*
- *Provided Parenting Education Support to 242 parents*
- *Provided After School Care to 101 children*
- *Provided Parenting Support to 42 first-birth families*
- *Obtained \$466,148 in Veteran Benefits for 106 Veterans*
- *Helped provide 68,845 meals to Seniors*
- *Provided Respite Care Referrals & Respite Services to 107 families*
- *Provided In-Home Services to 32 Seniors*

*Services Provided to over 13,000 persons
in Clatsop, Columbia & Tillamook Counties.*

ECONOMIC IMPACTS

- ⇒ 185 Jobs Provided
- ⇒ \$21.5 Million Dollar Impact on Local Economy*
- ⇒ \$861,860 Estimated Energy Savings

*Multiplier Effect of Dollars Spent

WHO WE SERVED

OF THE 13,416 PERSONS
&
6,940 HOUSEHOLDS SERVED:

- ⇒ Over half (54%) were children or seniors
- ⇒ Most (70%) were either employed or on Social Security
- ⇒ Only 4% of households served are on public welfare

C.A.T. BUDGET

2009 FUNDING

Income:	
Grants	\$8,593,579
Program Fees	\$786,509
Contributions	\$406,027
Total	\$9,786,115

2009 EXPENSES

Program Cost.....	\$9,417,564
Administration (3.7%)	\$368,551
Total.....	\$9,786,115

C.A.T. SERVICES

CHILD & FAMILY

DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

HEAD START

- Preschool for low-income & children with disabilities
- Medical and dental services
- Family self-reliance case management

HEALTHY START

- Home visiting services for families with first born babies
- Services provided to families prenatal through age three

PARENTING SUPPORT

- Parenting Classes
- Helping children cope with divorce

HOUSING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

- Affordable housing development
- Property management
- Development of community facilities
- Self-Help Housing (Sweat Equity Program)
- No-interest, deferred payment, home improvement loans
- Weatherization assistance

HOUSING CENTER

- Tenant trainings
- Housing information and referral
- Home ownership education & counseling
- Mortgage Foreclosure Prevention
- Vernonia Flood Recovery Center

EMERGENCY HOUSING

- Emergency housing rental assistance
- Case management services to help families achieve permanent housing

ENERGY SERVICES

- Energy bill payment assistance
- Energy conservation education/case management

SENIOR & RESPITE SERVICES

- Respite care referrals & financial assistance
- Respite care provider training & support
- Senior nutrition
- Case managers
- OPI (Oregon Project Independence)
- Telephone reassurance

VETERANS' SERVICES

- Benefit information and referral services
- Benefit advocacy and assistance
- Benefit support and representation

KID CARE

- After school care for children ages 5-12

INFORMATION & REFERRAL

- Social Service Resource Directory development & distribution
- Telephone assistance for service information

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PARTNER AGENCIES

Clatsop Community Action
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Community Action Resource Enterprises
(CARE) 503-842-5261

C.A.T. CONTACTS

Child & Family
Development Program 503-556-3736
Head Start 503-556-3736
Healthy Start 503-366-6556
Parenting Education 503-556-3736

Housing Center
Columbia County 503-366-6595
Clatsop County 503-325-9215

Housing Rehabilitation
& Weatherization 503-397-1675
Toll Free 800-325-8098
Astoria 503-325-8098

Housing & Community
Development 503-366-6575

Emergency Housing 503 366-6559

Energy Services 503-397-4951
Toll Free 866-722-4951
Astoria 503-325-9215
Tillamook 503-842-5261

Senior & Respite Services 503-366-6543

Veterans Services 503-366-6580

Kid Care 503-366-6545
Scappoose Site 503-543-6828

Information & Referral 503-397-3511

Fiscal Department 503-366-6570

Administration 503-397-3511